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Oregon Fruits – Preliminary Estimates

The 2010 Oregon apple crop is expected to remain steady at 130 million pounds. Washington estimates production to increase 5 percent to 5.65 billion pounds. Nationally, a 4 percent decrease in apple production is expected. Bartlett pear tonnage is expected to decrease 17 percent in Oregon. Tonnage for other pears is expected to decrease in Oregon, California and Washington. All pear production in Oregon is estimated to be down 13 percent from 2009 at 200,000 tons. Nationally, pear production is down 11 percent. Oregon, Washington and Michigan are estimating smaller prune and plum crops for 2010. Nationally, production is expected to decrease 28 percent. Oregon grape production may decrease slightly from 2009.

Fruit Production, 2006-2009 and forecasted August 1, 2010

State	Total production				
	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010 Forecast
	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>
Apples ¹					
California	177,500	172,500	180,000	132,500	155,000
Michigan	440,000	385,000	180,000	132,500	155,000
New York	630,000	655,000	635,000	690,000	600,000
Oregon	75,000	67,500	59,500	65,000	65,000
Washington	2,775,000	2,600,000	2,825,000	2,700,000	2,825,000
United States	4,935,850	4,544,700	4,816,650	4,957,450	4,738,050
Pears, Bartlett					
California	199,000	201,000	195,000	200,000	185,000
Oregon	63,000	59,000	56,300	66,000	55,000
Washington	165,000	163,000	166,000	186,000	170,000
Pears, other					
California	40,000	42,000	48,000	55,000	53,000
Oregon	152,000	147,000	175,000	163,000	145,000
Washington	196,000	239,000	211,000	266,000	235,000
Pears, all					
California	239,000	243,000	243,000	255,000	238,000
Oregon	215,000	206,000	231,300	229,000	200,000
Washington	361,000	402,000	377,000	452,000	405,000
United States	842,035	872,950	869,850	957,220	854,800
Peaches					
California					
Freestone	353,000	446,000	433,000	350,000	355,000
Clingstone ²	359,000	503,000	426,000	469,000	420,000
Georgia ²	41,000	13,000	28,000	32,000	40,000
Oregon ³	2,100	3,000	1,600		
South Carolina	60,000	12,500	60,000	75,000	120,000
Washington	23,000	18,500	16,800	14,500	16,000
United States	1,010,120	1,127,150	1,135,310	1,103,770	1,125,990
Prunes and plums					
Idaho	2,000	1,800	2,200	2,000	2,400
Michigan	3,600	3,100	2,300	2,900	1,800
Oregon	10,500	3,000	7,500	9,400	5,000
Washington	5,400	4,200	3,500	4,300	4,200
4-State total	21,500	12,100	15,500	18,600	13,400
Grapes for wine					
California	3,176,000	3,288,000	3,055,000	3,743,000	3,500,000
Oregon	34,400	38,600	34,700	40,200	40,000
Washington	120,000	127,000	145,000	156,000	160,000
3-State total	3,330,400	3,453,600	3,234,700	3,939,200	3,700,000

¹ In orchards of 100 or more bearing age trees.
² Estimates for current year carried forward from an earlier forecast.
³ Estimate discontinued in 2009.

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